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Sir:

Pursuant to applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, enclosed are copies of four (4) references for the Examiner's review and consideration. These references are listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

These references were cited in European Search Report, copies of which are enclosed and is not deemed to be material to the patentability of the claims.

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